

## ACCESS SERVICE

## 17. Rates and Charges

17.1 Common Line Access Service17.1.1 Carrier Common Line Access ServiceRate

Regulations concerning Carrier Common Line Access  
are set forth in Section 3. preceding.

Access

- |   |                               |     |     |
|---|-------------------------------|-----|-----|
| - | Originating Per Access Minute | [1] | (C) |
| - | Terminating Per Access Minute | [1] | (C) |

## 17.1.2 Reserved for Future Use

- [1] Based on the Settlement Stipulation approved by the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission (SDPUC) on November 14, 2006, LECA will bill 12.5¢ per minute for both Originating and Terminating minutes. This rate will remain in effect for three years from the effective date unless a SDPUC or FCC order establishing intrastate switched access rates becomes effective during the initial three year term. The Stipulation rate will renew for automatic one (1) year renewals unless LECA provides notification otherwise.

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.1 Common Line Access Service (Cont'd)17.1.4 Universal Carrier Access Fund

	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
(A) <u>Universal Carrier Access Fund</u>		
Per minute of use for both originating and terminating access.	\$0.00000	8. (R)

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## 17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)

17.2 Switched Access Service

## 17.2.1 Nonrecurring Charges

	<u>Rate</u>
(A) <u>Local Transport Element - Installation Per Line or Trunk</u>	\$295.00
(B) <u>Reserved for Future Use</u>	
(C) <u>Interim NXX Translation Per Order</u>	\$181.00
Per LATA or Market Area	

## 17.2.2 Traffic Sensitive

Local Switching (End Office)

Per Access Minute	Originating	[1]	(C)
Per Access Minute	Terminating	[1]	(C)

Local Transport

Per Access Minute	[1]	(C)
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Network Blocking Per Blocked Call

Applies to FGD only	\$0.0271
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8XX Data Base Query Service

Per Query	
Basic	\$0.0079
Vertical Feature	\$0.0082

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4. Other Services17.4.1 Access Ordering

	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
(A) <u>Access Order Charge</u>		
Per order	\$89.00	5.4.1
(B) <u>Service Date Change Charge</u>		
A Service Date Change Charge will apply, on a per order per per occurrence basis, for each service date changed. The Access Order Charge as specified in 17.4.1(A) preceding does not apply. The applicable charge is:		
Service Date Change Charge, per order	\$30.00	5.4.3
(C) <u>Design Change Charge</u>		
The Design Change Charge will apply on a per order per occurrence basis, for each order requiring design change. The applicable charge is:		
Design Change Charge, per order	\$30.00	5.4.3
(D) <u>Miscellaneous Service Order Charge</u>		
Per Occurrence	\$30.00	5.4.2

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4. Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.2 Additional Engineering

<u>Additional Engineering Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
(A) Basic Time per engineer normally scheduled working hours	\$15.28	13.1
(B) Overtime per engineer outside of normally scheduled working hours	\$22.92	13.1
(C) Premium Time outside of scheduled work day, per engineer	\$30.56	13.1

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4. Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.3 Additional Labor

<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
(A) Installation or Repair		
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$22.58*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
- Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$30.11*	13.2.1 & 13.2.2
(B) Stand by		
- Basic Time, normally scheduled working hours, per technician	\$14.95	13.2.3
- Overtime, outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day, per technician	\$22.42*	13.2.3
- Premium Time, outside of scheduled work day, per technician	\$29.89*	13.2.3

\* A call out of a Telephone Company employee at a time not consecutive with the employee's scheduled work period is subject to a minimum charge of four hours.

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<u>Additional Labor Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>		
	<u>Installation and Repair Technician</u>	<u>Central Office Maintenance Technician</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
(C) Testing and Maintenance with other Telephone Companies, or Other Labor			
- Basic Time per technician normally scheduled working hours	\$15.05	\$14.95	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
- Overtime per technician outside of normally scheduled working hours on a scheduled work day,	\$22.58*	\$22.42*	13.2.4 & 13.2.5
- Premium Time per technician outside of scheduled work day	\$30.11*	\$29.89*	13.2.4 & 13.2.5

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<u>Testing Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.1(A)(1)

(B) Additional Automatic Testing - Switched AccessTo First Point  
of Switching

## Additional Tests

	<u>Per Test Per Transmission Path</u>	
Gain-Slope Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Notched Noise Tests	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
1004 Hz Loss**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
C-Message Noise**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)
Balance (return loss)**	\$2.89	13.3.1(A)(2)

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\*\* 1004 Hz Loss, C-Message Noise and Balance are non-chargeable routine test, however, they may be requested on an as needed or more than routine schedule basis, in which case the charges herein apply.

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of Switching

Additional Tests

<u>Each Half Hour or Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
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Gain-Slope,  
C-Notched Noise and  
any other agreed to  
test, per technicianSee the 13.3.1(A)(3)  
rates for  
Additional  
Labor as  
set forth in  
17.4.3(C)  
preceding(D) Reserved for Future Use

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<u>Maintenance of Service Periods</u>	<u>Each Half Hour of Fraction Thereof</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
Basic Time, Overtime* and Premium Time*	See the rates for Additional Labor as set forth in 17.4.3(C) preceding.	13.3.2

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	<u>Nonrecurring Charge</u>	<u>Tariff Section Reference</u>
Per Service Arranged	\$54.63	13.3.3

(H) Presubscription

Per Telephone Exchange Service line or trunk*	\$ 5.00	13.4
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- \* This charge is billed to the end user who is the subscriber to the Telephone Exchange Service. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the Telephone Company, no charge shall apply. In the event an end user is incorrectly presubscribed due to misassignment on the part of the IC, and the IC is unable to document an assignment, the Telephone Company will apply the charge to the IC responsible for the misassignment of the end user and assign the end user to an IC of the end user's choice.

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(A) Voice Grade Secure Communications	Monthly Nonrecurring Termination		
	Rates	Charges	Charges
Type I, each T-3 Conditioning,	ICB rates and charges apply		
Additional Conditioning, per service termination	ICB rates and charges apply		
Type II, each G-I Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply		
Type III, each G-2 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply		
Additional Conditioning, per service termination	ICB rates and charges apply		
Type IV, each G-3 Conditioning	ICB rates and charges apply		
Additional Conditioning, per termination	ICB rates and charges apply		

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17. Rates and Charges (Cont'd)17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)17.4.6 Special Facilities Routing of Access Services(A) Diversity

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 preceding, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(B) Avoidance

For each service provided in accordance with 11.2.2 preceding, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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(C) Diversity and Avoidance Combined

For each service provided in accordance with 11.1.1 and 11.1.2 preceding, combined, the rates and charges will be developed on an individual case basis.

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## (D) (Reserved for future use.)

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17.4 Other Services (Cont'd)

17.4.7 Specialized Service or Arrangements

Specialized Service or Arrangements are provided on an individual case basis as set forth following:

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